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1. European Patent Application No. 0 423 808 B1 published August 31, 1994, to E.I. DuPont.
2. U.S. Patent No. 4,496,630 A issued January 29, 1985 to Kurita et al.
3. Patent Abstracts of Japan, Vol. 009, No. 005 (C-260), January 10, 1985, corresponding to JP-A 59-157315 A to Unitika K.K.

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